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THE ADMINISTRATION EXPOSED.

IN THESE PIPING DAYS, when not to have exposed something or somebody is to have failed largely of the best success, it is gratifying to be able to uncover fraud in the highest places. Happy is the man (or the magazine) whose good fortune it is to make exposures among the great and the influential. Verily its (or his) lines are fallen in pleasant places. JUDGE has been eager for months to get in the procession and expose somebody. Naturally, we prefer to expose the administration. To unearth something really big and sensational there would fill our cup to overflowing. At last our opportunity has come. We have stumbled upon an act not great in itself, but in principle vital to the future of this republic. Some man sent a five-cent piece to Secretary Shaw and asked him to tell which was "heads" and which "tails." The man inclosed a nickel for a reply. Bear that in mind, please. The answer was figured out and *franked* to the questioner and the government *pocketed the nickel.* Trivial? Yes; but the fall of Rome was trivial in its beginnings. If the government steals nickels under cover of its franking privileges *now*, what will it steal ten years from now? Kill evil in the root, say we; and we call upon the people to demand that Secretary Shaw hand that nickel back to its rightful owner.

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CHIMNEYS and electric fans for the New York subway are the latest suggestions. Improvement is the order of the day.

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TO BE SENT ABROAD to bring a dead one home is at least a novel way to show presidential favor. Why wouldn't it be a good idea now to assign Mr. Bowen to escort the 'squire of Wantage back to his home town and thus close a disagreeable incident?

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"THE SPANK goes with the feed" is the axiomatic residuum of the debate in Gotham on the propriety of flogging in the public schools. In other words, none but the hand that provides the sliced bread may rightfully work the shingle whose tintinnabulous impact makes music in the world.

THE TEPEE at Quogue is the only show that is trying to divide honors with the wigwam on Sagamore hill.

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ST. LOUIS COUPLE were wed on a merry-go-round. Anything to throw a little gayety into the tottering institution of marriage.

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GENERAL LINEVITCH begs the czar for one more chance. Like Rojestvensky, the brave Russian wants to make a finished job of it.

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WITH NEW YORK'S 4,000,000 population and 6,200,000 in the metropolitan area, only the city by the lake can feel what a speck on the map a town of 2,250,000 is.

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IT IS PLEASANT to learn that Ambassador Meyer's wife has had no small part in bringing the czar round to the peace point of view. Thus does the sway of the American woman increase.

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THOUSANDS of young collegians, fresh from the halls of learning, are now gathering into the shimmering wheat-fields of Kansas and the Dakotas. Thus does education shore up the great basic industries.

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CONDEMNED to death for slaying nobody knows how many wives, the last wife of Hoch is ready to sacrifice everything to save him, although her sister was among his victims. Such is the mystery of a woman's heart.

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A PARSON listening to an atheist eleven hours for a two-hundred-and-fifty-dollar lot to build a church on is an idea so much better than the sociable as a means of recruiting the parish funds that it is a wonder nobody has hit upon it sooner.

IS IT AVARICE THAT MAKES THE AMERICAN PEOPLE CHASE THE ALMIGHTY DOLLAR?

"THE BESETTING SIN of Americans is avarice," said Mayor McClellan to the graduates of Fordham university. "We need fear not tainted money, but the money that taints," was another of his epigrammatic hits. The mayor's eloquence is in line with most of the baccalaureate utterances of the commencement season. A graduating class that was not warned against the sin of aspiring to riches might well consider itself slighted. The plaint pervades our pulpit and all our serious literature, until even the common tongue is aflame with the accusation that the modern American is a selfish, grasping, avaricious, greedy sort of a person. Somebody should have the courage and knowledge sufficient to deny and disprove this grave charge. Never was a general indictment against an age based upon such a twisted and distorted conception of the facts. Everybody is after the dollar; therefore everybody is greedy, runs this silly logic. Why not take another and a closer, more sympathetic, look at human society and see things as they are. See the brave struggle of the mass of the people to keep above water, the striving of the millions to achieve and maintain respectability, the pathetic longing of the multitude for just a bit of something beyond mere daily bread. Let the preachers and teachers consult their own experience with the problem of matching a small income to the thousand and one needs of a polite existence and then say whether the chase of the dollar isn't something too fine to be classed as greed and avarice. It is easy to look upon the restless, toiling throng and its straining after more of the good things of life and say, "How greedy!" So easy that it is also easy to understand why it's so common. When the struggle of the masses to maintain a solvent and respectable existence ceases the shameless beggar and ragged loafer will swarm like vermin over the country. The ceaseless diatribes against the so-called dollar-chasing of our times is but a part of that shallow-thinking reform which is everywhere slashing at the branches of the tree of evil without ever suspecting that it has roots at all. There are men who are money-mad, but the cravings of the mass for the means of a richer and more comfortable and happier life are normal and sound and not to be despised.

Who Wouldn't Be A Sea Serpent

Why doth the serpent of the sea,
So dread in shape and terrible,
Glide hospitably on the lea
And never do things horrible?

Because, I ween, of maidens fair,
With captivating wiles,
Who work their summer conquests there.
The serpent looks and smiles.

THE SUMMER GIRL.

GEE-WHIZZ!
What a wonder
The summer girl is!
What a bird!
Have you ever heard
Of anything like her?
What a wonderful hiker
Straight to men's hearts,
With her cute little arts
And her graces,
Her fluffs and her
Ribbons and laces;
Her smiles and her sighs,
Her varying eyes,
The touch of her hand,
The rapture of—oh, my land!
Jee-rusalem! gosh!
Can't she josh
Any man on earth
To a finish? Say!
Ain't she the way
You long have sought
And mourned because
You found it nought?
Well, I guess
She is the limit of loveliness.
She
Bosses the sea,
And the mountains fall
Down at her call.
No matter where you find her,
No matter where she dwells—
In lovely summer villas
Or any old hotels—
She wields her magic sceptre,
She sits upon her throne,
And claims, without distinction,
All mankind as her own.
And what does mankind
Think about it?
Well, don't shout it—
Whisper it soft and low:
He's willing to be her subject
For a couple of months or so;
But after that—
My scat!
Where is the summer girl at?

WILLIAM J. LAMPTON.

THE COLLEGE GIRL.

ANOTHER phalanx of the college girl, educated, untrammeled, free, has graduated and gone forth into the earth to dwell therein and make it glad. By this time the bookish throng is scattered to the four corners of the land, and no city, town, or hamlet but is shined upon by some ray from Vassar, Smith, Wellesley, or otherwhere. The girl who read with a strong, convincing tone that powerful thesis on "the impersonal point of view" mayhap mixeth a rising of bread at this moment in her mother's kitchen. The petite little person in white who scathingly described "Lucian, the iconoclast," no doubt is sewing a button on papa's trousers and doing it well. That bold and masterly reasoner who discussed "the treatment of historical material in this country" is very like holding at arm's length a plain cream batiste gown and considering, with a wary eye, whether passementerie cabochons, sewed on the front breadths, would look better than revers of chiffon and embroidered bowknot designs with a Watteau plait. Thus we see how education reaches back into the world and glorifies it. Probably the girl who threw out those thrilling thoughts on the "molecular theory of the atomic protoplasm and its insufficiency as a philosophic norm" is sitting in a hammock to-day and eating bonbons out of a box with a fellow whose hair is cut loose and flowing in the back, and who calls her a peacherino. Aye, love, home, toil, the entire Sahara of our desert life, is brightened and gladdened to-day by the girl just home from college.

RELIEF AT HAND.

ATLAS had just lifted the globe. "I now have the earth in my hands," he remarked solemnly.

"And how long will you keep it?" asked the intimate friend.

"Oh, until the Standard-oil company arrives."

And even as he spoke the sun-like pate of John D. appeared above the horizon.

AN EXCEPTION.

Howell—"It's better to have loved and lost"——

Powell—"Not when you have alimony to pay to the one you have lost."

NOT HIS FAULT.

Subscriber—"Some of your jokes are a trifle raw."

Editor—"They oughtn't to be; they've been roasted enough."

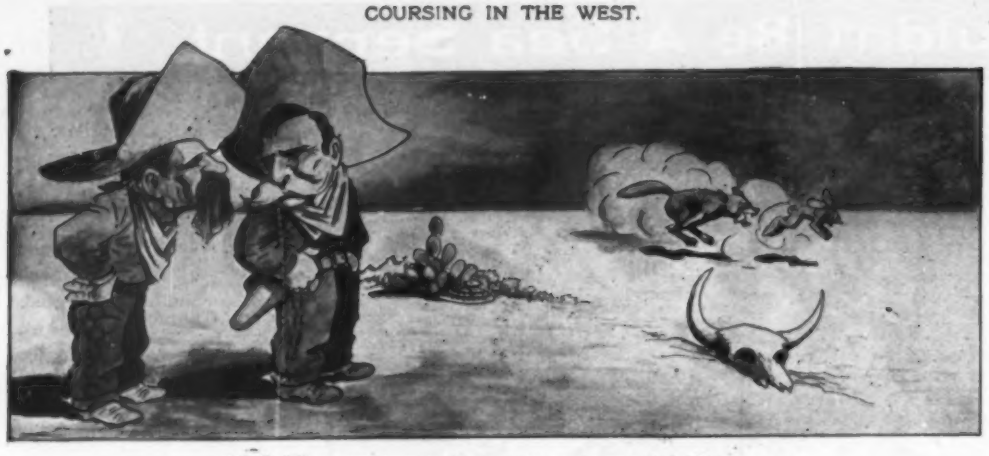
LIMITED THINKER.

Gerald—"I always say what I think."

Geraldine—"I have noticed that you hadn't a very extensive vocabulary."

MISS LIGHTLEIGH—"Why, Mr. Spooneasy—why aren't you taking your morning plunge?"
MR. SPOONEASY—"Oh, it's too early in the day. Besides, I've been in once already."

COURSING IN THE WEST.



"Bill, I'll go you twenty that coyote never gets the rabbit.——

OF COURSE.

"WHAT did they talk about in the mother's meeting?"

"About all the time."

ENTHUSIASM.

NO, this is not an accident,
So stop unseemly grins.
I stand upon my head each time
The
Home
Team
Wins!

OBJECT OF THE TRIP.

Dyer—"Is Mrs. van Rich going abroad to get rid of her rheumatism?"

Duell—"No; of her daughters."

DISILLUSIONMENT.

THEY sat in the quavering darkness of a clouded moon. The green waves, plashing into whiteness, told him that he loved her. How still the night seemed! Even the advancing tide did not disturb their rapture. And yet he had only met her within the hour. Even her name had escaped him. Suddenly, far out in the silvery night, from the wooden artificiality of a space used by the bathers, came a cry, reproachful, fraught with half-angry sadness:

"Fabiola! — ! — !—."

So that was her name!

"*Fabiola! — ! — !* —."

Again it came, solving for him the nascent struggle to recall her name.

Fabiola! How beautiful! The sand behind them hissed under quick footsteps, and more harshly now sounded the strident call,

"Fabiola McFadden, wull yez be afther wringin' out thim bathin'-suits, an' quick, too?"

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Alas! The moonlight shrank to darkness. The fishers found him alone, dazed, distraught.

C. MICHENER.

——Fork over, Bill. You'll notice he ain't gittin' him none."

HAD THE EVIDENCE.

Irate father—"It beats all where my umbrellas go to. I left one in the rack last night, and now it's gone."

Willie—"Alice's beau has got it."

Alice—"Why, Willie! the idea!"

Willie—"Well, last night, when he was going home, I heard him say that he was only going to take just one."

AND THIS IN BOSTON!

BOSTON'S institute of technology is one of the most prominent institutions in the city, and pupils in the public schools are sometimes asked to write brief articles about it. One day recently a teacher posted the school on the blackboard for his class of boys to write something about it, and his spelling of it was certainly unique. It was as follows:

"The school of tecknowledgy."

PIGS.

FIRST PIGGIE—"What yer cryin' fer?"

SECOND PIGGIE—"Ah, me mudder won't let me keep clean."

SONGS OF SCHOOLDAYS.

(Song of the mellow heart at vacation time.)

THEE yeer is dunn. hear att the gait wee go
farr farr away hoove wurkt ann studdied so.
how forchunet wee have vakashun soze
wee gett a chanst to ware owt owr ole cloze
Ann gett awl freckuld inn thee sunns brite raze
thatt shine so brite awl owr vakashun daze.
how kwick our skoolday trubbles are foargott
inn plaen bawl upon sum korner lott
ur fiten doggs ur thinken saddly wenn
weere owt how soon thee skool will start agen.

fairwel deer teecher. u have dun ure best
too lurn uss things ann now u gett a rest
Frum awl uv uss. weel think uv u wenn wee
are plaen gaims ann wunder iff ule bee
inn rite good helth wenn itt is time to cawl
ure skool agen ur will u gett a fawl
ur hav sum axsident soze u kant bee
hear wenn itts time to cawl ure skool ann wee
wil gett thee bennyfit uv itt butt o
how badd weel feal too think ure hurt uno.

wott iff u hafftoo lick uss now ann thenn.
wee no itts onley dunn to maik uss menn
ann wimmen hoo wil bee a creadut too
thare native land ann wenn skooldaze are throo
weel understand itt awl ann weel be gladd
uv every singul licken thatt wee hadd
Ann iff wee shood be prezzidunt sum day
wee woodunt klaim no creadut butt wood say
itts awl becaws u lickt uss wenn weere badd
thatt maid uss grate for wich wee shood be gladd.

J. W. FOLEY.

Otto Sarony.

JUDGE'S FAVORITES.

JULIA SANDERSON IN "FANTANA."

The wealth that lies
In buried mine
Is but a paltry hoard
Beside the riches of the smiles
That in your eyes
Are stored.

Your witcheries
And charming ways
Are no mere stagy part,
For in the play or out of it
Your natural self 's
Your art.

TRIOLET.

THE drug-clerk turned red
And the pretty girl blushed.
"A sponge-bath," she said.
The drug-clerk turned red.
"A bath-sponge instead,"
She corrected, and flushed:
The drug-clerk turned red,
And the pretty girl blushed.

HER FAMILY PRIDE.

LULU had learned her text, "Many are called, but few are chosen." In pondering over her mother's explanation of it, she commented as follows:

"Mamma, if I should die would I go to heaven?"

"Yes."

"If you should die would you go there?"

"I hope so, dear?"

"Oh, mamma, please try! I'd hate awfully to have all the little angels pointing at me and saying, 'Kee! there's a little angel whose mamma couldn't get into our set.'"

STRIKE OUT FOR HIMSELF.

Mack—"I understand the count is going into business for himself."

Wyld—"Yes; he has decided to dispense with matrimonial agencies."

WHERE HE LIVES.

"And where do you live, my little man?"
"'Side of the Byerses."
"Quite so. And where do the Byers live?"
"'Side of us."

NO EASY MATTER.

LULU'S mother heard a great splashing in the bath-room, and upon investigation found her little daughter standing by the partially-filled tub in a very bedrabbled condition.

"Why, you see, mamma," she explained, "I've been trying to walk on the water, and it is no fool's job, let me tell you."

A GOOD PROVIDER.

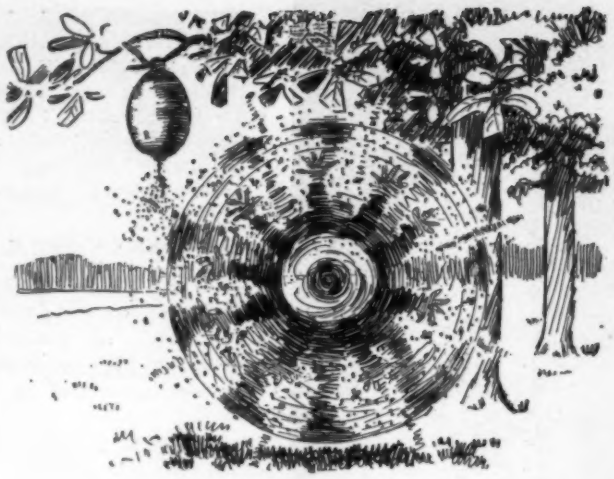
MRS. KELLY—"Was yure first husband a good provider, Mrs. Riley?"

MRS. RILEY—"There was none betther, Mrs. Kelly—an' he was thot thoughtful. Befoor we'd bin married a week he got kilt on th' railroad, an' Oi got foive thousand darlers damages."

RATHER TOGO-ISH.

1.

NEAR-SIGHTED PARTY—"Eh, what's this? Japanese lantern, left by some picnicker, no doubt." (*Gives vigorous punch.*)



2.

Buz-z-z-z-z-z-z-z-z-z! !!!!!!

3.

NEAR-SIGHTED PARTY—"After all I've read of the war, to think I'd go and butt into anything of a Japanese character!"

THE LONE FISHERMAN.

SETTIN' in a leaky boat,
Jest a-watchin' line an' float;
Waitin' fur a bite, oh, gee!
That is fun enough fur me.
Settin' out here on the crick
Where the perch is bitin' slick,
An' the punkin'-seeds—well, say!
You can't coax me off ter-day.

Ol' pipe 's drawin' like a flue,
An' the smoke is risin' blue;
Water 's calm an' weather 's fine,
An' they's somethin' on my line.
Wouldn't leave ol' "Lizzard" now
Fur a house an' farm, I vow!
Jest go 'way an' let me be—
This is good enough fur me.

JOE CONE.

HER SIMPLICITY.

Van Dyne—"I suppose it was her simplicity that captivated you?"

Brokelee—"Yes. She said her father would settle half a million on her."

NOT FOR SALE.

Bess—"Now, if her features were only as perfect as her complexion"——

Jess—"Yes. It's too bad she can't buy one where she does the other."

IDEAL WEATHER.

"Well, Mr. Waterbug, how did you enjoy your vacation?"
"Great! I was gone three weeks, and it rained every day but one."

LITTLE SAMMY BINK, HIS PAP AN NUNKEL.

DEER MISTER EDDITUR—i wisht yude rite a neditoryal sayin that yore papur made a mistake wen it sed a bantam hen wot wayed 2 pownds lade a negg wot wayed 3 pownds fer mi pap an Nunkel ned have bin scrappin dredfull about it all day an nite sunday an Ma says thade ot to be ash shamed of theirselves to carry on so on the sabbath day witch it was made fer man an not man fer de Sabbath.

pap says no hen never cude do no sutch thing cos its aggin nachur an Nunkel ned he says i dont no bowt that cos I see a farmer up in massy chusetts put a pig in a pale an put the lid on an then he took the pig owt of the pale an pored bonny clabber into the pale till it was full up an then the pig et up all the bonny clabber an squealed fer more.

wen PaP heard that he snorted an grabbed the shugar bole an a salt suller an he says look here ned bink wot yer gettin off enny way? kin yu put this shugar bole into this salt suller an Nunkel ned says dave bink a salt suller aint a hen an PaP he says thur aint no goin agganste fizzukle siance. now fizzukul siance shows that nuththin cant go into nuththin wot ain't haf as bigg as it is an ni say enyboddy wots alwus bleevin evrything they reed in the papurs is sa chuckkle hedded ijit.

that made PaP madder than ever an ne says ned bink ef it wussent fer yore bein mi bruthther ide curry yu down. an Nunkel ned he says dave bink yu needent bothther abowt mi bein yore bruthther fer i woodent notis yu in na crowd an nafore hede got thru PaP grabbed him bi the hare an says i aint goin to have no man wok over me an no hen wot ever livd diddent never lay an negg biggern wot she is herself enny morn she cude lay a haystack an ni dont want yu to say she did neether.

an Nunkel ned he cot PaP bi the wiskers an ne hollerd into his ere ile say a hen can lay a barn ef i want to an yu wount stop me yu addle pated chump yu an MA she run in owt of the kitchen with the potato masher in her hand an she says i cude plaster yu mens branes up agane the side of the wall i cude an now i want yu to cleer out both of yu.

then PAP lookt at MA awful scornful an ne says i spose next thing yule be tellin bowt a hen layin a side of beef cos yu red it in a nuspapur an PAP an Nunkel ned snorted at eech uthther all the rest of the day.

now mister edditur wont yu please rite a neditoryal sayin that it wussent a 2 pownd hen after all that lade a 3 pownd egg an mebby the man wot said so just gessed it.

yores SAMmy bink.

TENNYSON'S LIMITS.

TENNYSON had just written "Come into the garden, Maud, for the black bat night has flown."

"I don't care!" she sobbed. "The Smiths' chickens are still in it, and all my lovely seeds dug up."

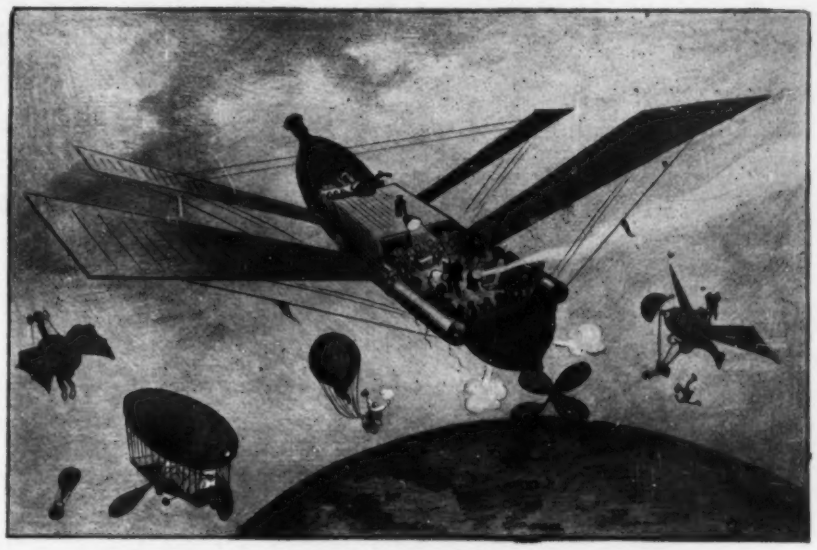
Herein he saw how poetry was incapable of expressing real tragedy.

AGAINST EDUCATION.

Jack—"Does your father believe in a liberal education?"
Dick—"No; he always kicks when I ask for money."

AËRIAL NAVIGATION COMPANY'S PROSPECTUS FOR SUMMER OF 1905.

WE TAKE great pleasure in announcing that we have arranged for a series of delightful summer tour among the stars. For those whose constitutions have been worn down by the enervating conditions of our present-day world there could be nothing better in the line of recuperation than a two-weeks' trip to the moon, or a two-months' junket to Neptune. Our sky greyhounds are safe, speedy, and the cuisine is unsurpassed. Excellent grill-rooms and concert each evening by the Hungarian orchestras. Compared with our magnificent distances and scenery, the trip to Europe or Niagara falls is little more than a trip to Coney island. Read the following list of tours carefully and then let us book you at an early date. Yours truly, The Aërial Navigation Company, Ltd.



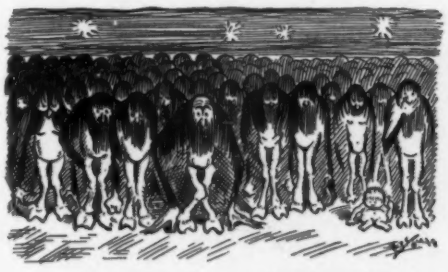
"The grand voyage to Neptune."

TRIP A.

Personally conducted tour to the moon. Palatial ship Astroid will leave in a fortnight from Observatory hill—magnetic influences permitting. One ticket covers all expenses, including guides and boots for mountain-climbing on Luna. This trip is especially recommended to the busy inhabitants of our world who can only spare two weeks' vacation.

TRIP B.

Summer cruise to Mars, Jupiter and Saturn, per ship Eros. This is the most entrancing voyage imaginable. The splendor of Saturn's rings under the searchlight is beyond description. Mars, that weird planet of green-haired people, is ever interesting. Jupiter, the planet of the gods, will be visited at sunset. Bring along your mythology. Stop-overs allowed at Juno, Ceres, Hebe and Iris. Write for rates, including a sulphur-bath on Saturn.



"Weird planet of green-haired people."

TRIP C.

"The trip of trips." Grand voyage to Neptune. Think of it! Far-away Neptune with her cold, silver mysteries of centuries! The shepherds of Palestine gazed on this beautiful planet years B. C., and marveled at its splendor. Thanks to modern genius and enlightenment, it is now a superb summer resort, catering only to the élite patronage, and reached only by our palatial ships, the Vulcan and Venus. See papers for day of sailing.

THE QUESTION.

WHICH shall it be? I looked at John, John looked at me—
A question so important that John paused from polishing his hat,
While I, who rarely ever weep, felt wretched tremors o'er me creep.

And here—right here, pray, let us pause—answered at last the question was.
I looked at John, he looked at me. I murmured "Mountains," he roared "Sea!"

LURANA W. SHELDON.

OLD MAN RESOURCEFUL.

A TERM'S tuition at the Jayside academy had awakened the latent ambitions of Wilbur Wisherby, who was beginning to chafe under the irksome routine of farm life.

"Father!" he cried, pausing in the act of rendering perfunctory assistance in the Wisherby cabbage-patch, "not a day passes but I feel the need of a change from the limitations we work under here to one of more extensive scope—to a broader field of labor."

"Wa-al, I guess I kin find it fer ye," observed his practical old father. "We're goin' ter commence hayin' in thet twenty-acre lot next week."

NEEDED HELP.

Landlord—"We have been forced to raise your rent."

Tenant—"Oh, thanks. I couldn't do it myself."

THE mills of the gods grind slowly, but they are nothing to the modern jokesmith.

'TWAS EVER THUS.

HIGHER and higher floated the ark, borne steadily upward by the ever-rising deluge that was fast shutting out all view of terrestrial objects. From his station at the lookout window Noah chanced to discern a flag-staff projecting from the water and marking the location of what but yesterday had been the weather-bureau of a thriving community. At its top, just as it had been left by the iniquitous weather-man before he, with his fellows, had deserted his post in a hopeless flight for safety, flapped a limp and bedraggled ensign. At first the distance and the downpour, which was still coming in torrents, rendered close observation impossible; but as his stanch float swept past, Noah, by dint of much eye-straining, was enabled to make out the prediction held forth by the fluttering signal:

"Fair, generally clear; light, variable winds."

NED BARNEY.

HIS WISH.

KID (*who has to mind brothers and sisters*)—"I wish I wuz twins, so I cud play ball."

WHICH?

"MRS. BOGGS bought a box of cigars for her husband and some one stole them."

"I'm sorry for him."

"Boggs or the thief?"

BAILED OUT.

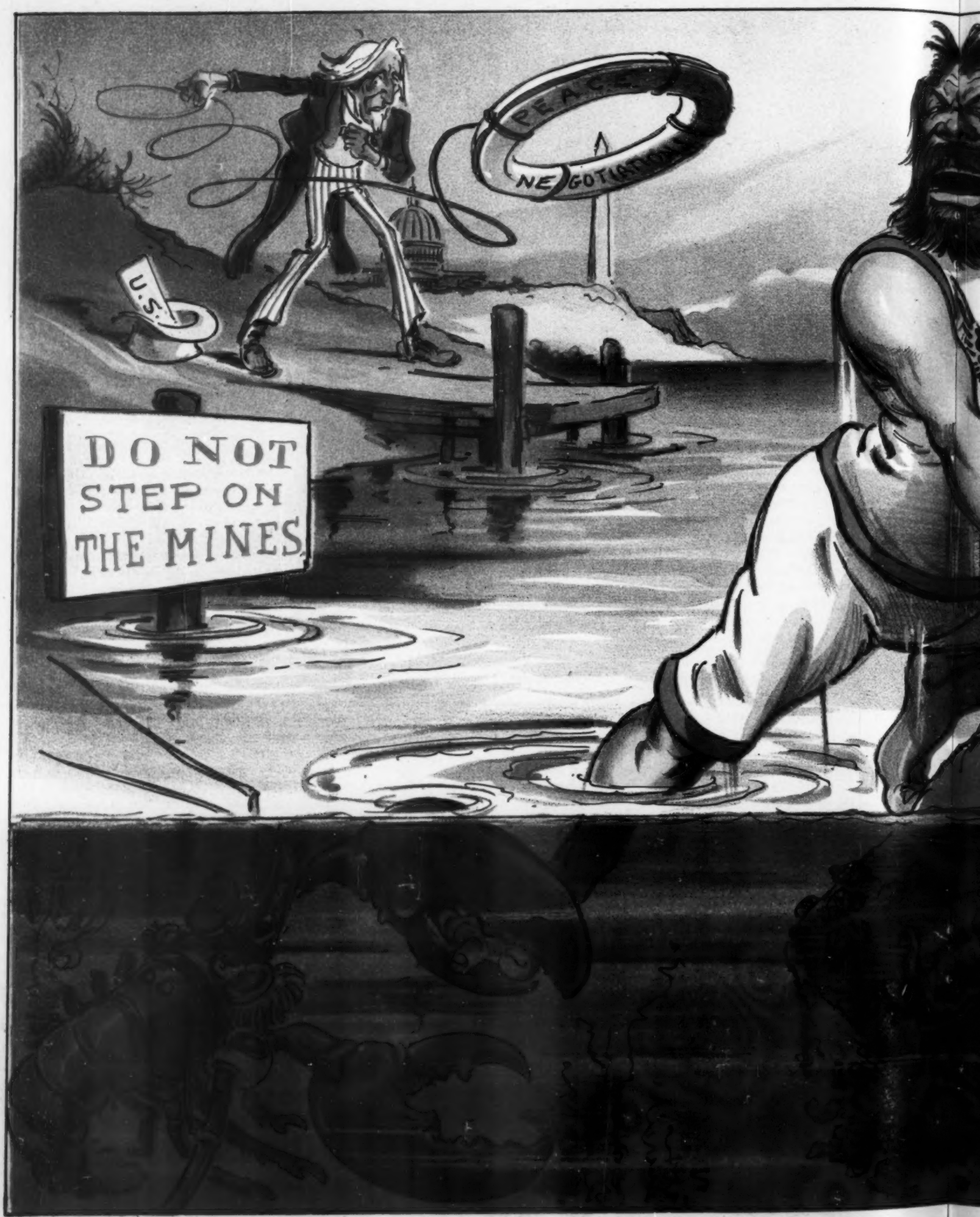
Blinks—"I hear you were full last night."

Jinks—"Yes; but I got bailed out."

A CURSORY GLANCE.

"HE swore at you?"

"Well, he gave me a cursory glance."



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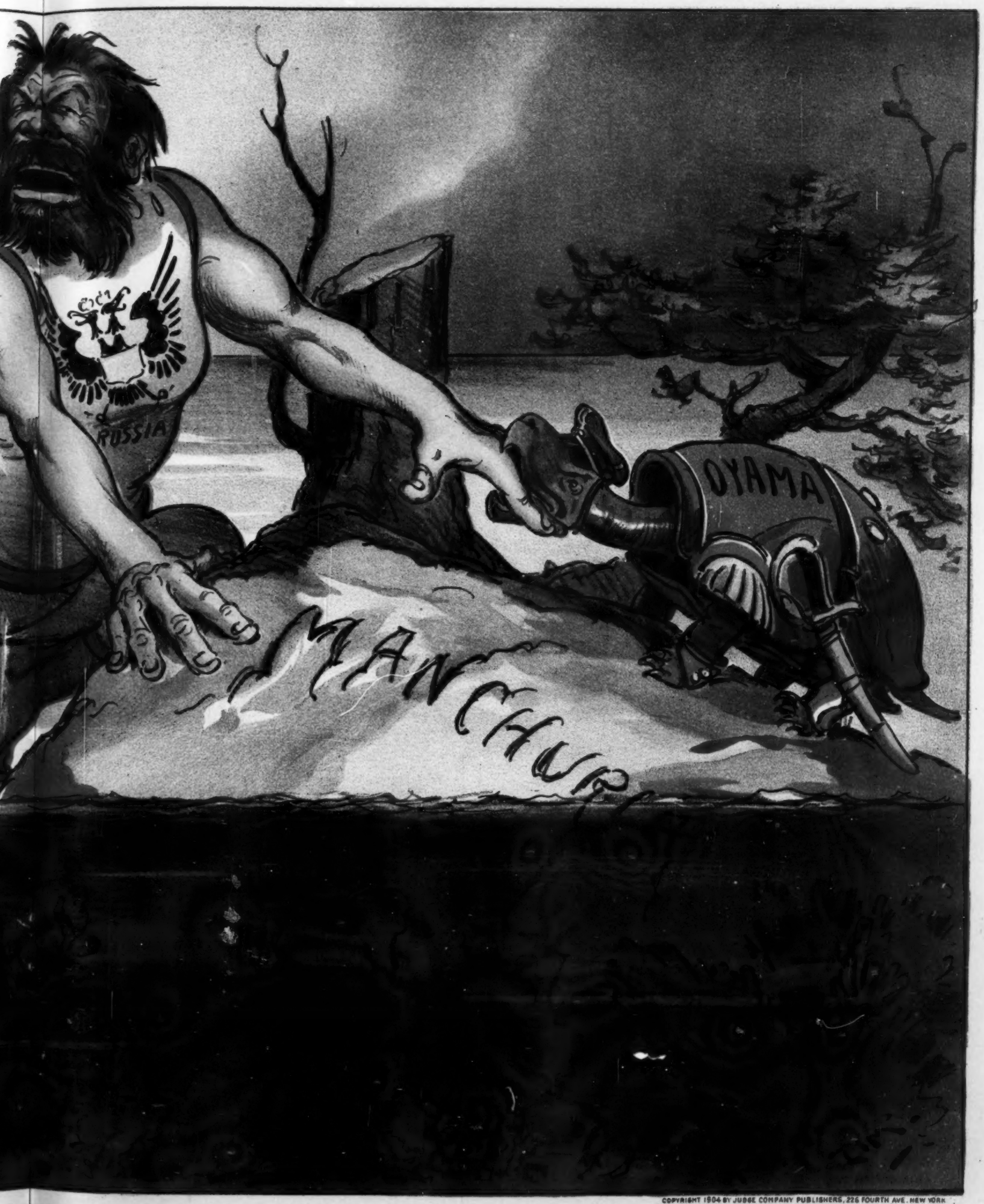

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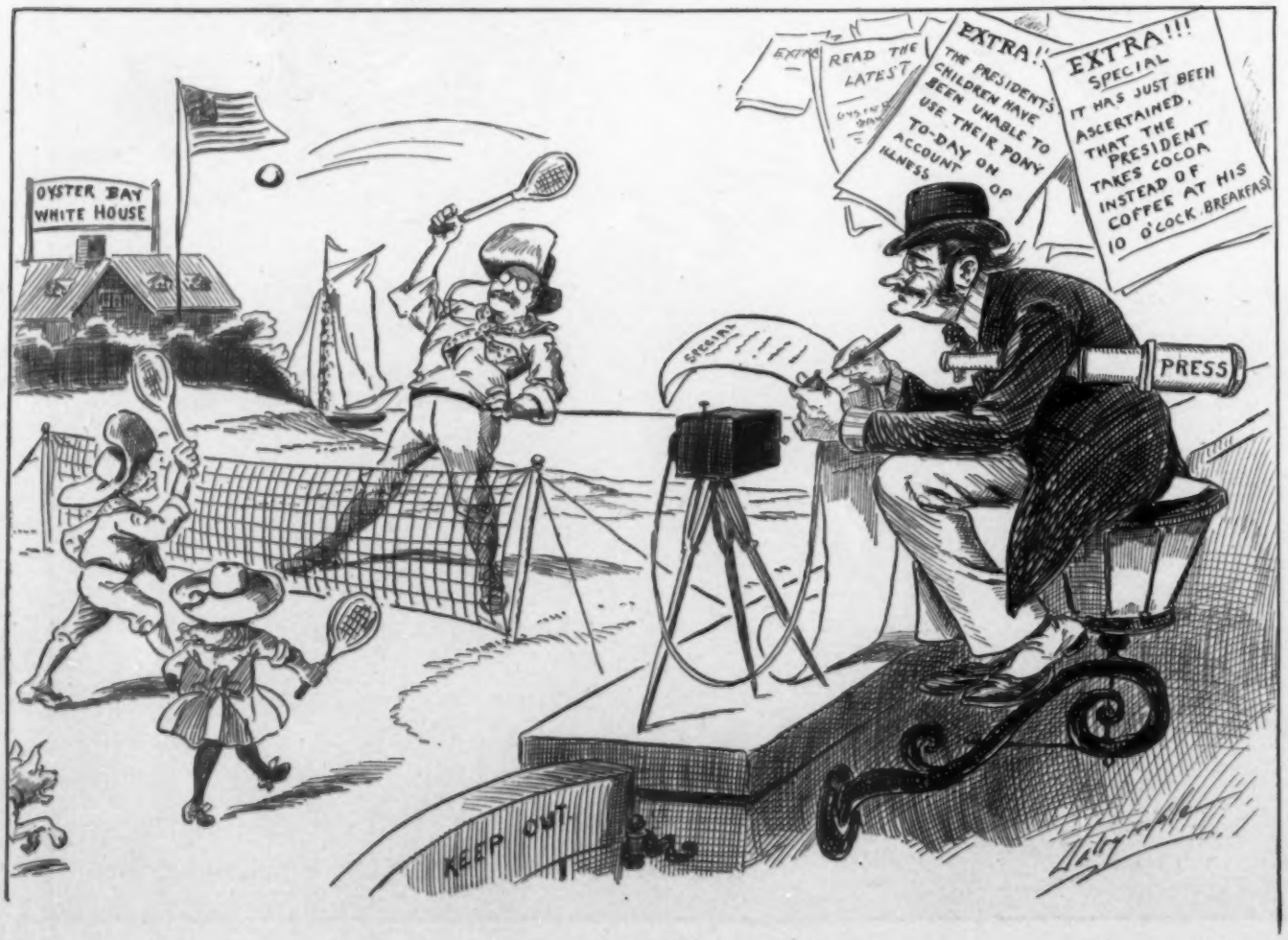
MAKING UP.
The dove of peace appears to be wearing glasses and showing its teeth.



VACATION.
The unwearied services of the press during the hot term cannot be too highly appreciated.

MAN'S CRUDE WAY.

With shame be it confessed that much of the trouble that blasts the domestic hearth and rips asunder the conjugal tie is blamable to the crude, blundering way of men with their women folk. Now and then in the retiracy of the home-tryst a man, by way of correction or reproof, undertakes to be funny with his wife, to guide her into the right path by a "jolly," and of all the pathetic and tragic things in the world this easily takes first place. At such times male man simply makes a fool of himself. His cleverness is nothing more than the lumbering sprightliness of the elephant, the gay and sportive jollity of the merry hippopotamus. Why, the very assumption of gayety is in itself an insult to the average woman, so that the proceeding has not even the advantage of a friendly armistice to begin with.

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Consider the case of a pair whose woes have lately come to the attention of the public. He carried several sticks of dynamite home, and then for fear they would get wet if he left them outside, he took them in the house Now, a woman gets panicky when she sees dynamite entering her happy home. And here is where this man got funny. He thought he'd show his wife how foolish were her fears and how safe dynamite is when you know your dynamite. Further to accentuate the joke, and because it would be as safe there as it could be anywhere, he put the dynamite under the pillow of their bed. Now, that was a man's idea of a joke. It was so funny that he got gay. True, the explosive didn't go off, but the madam did. She went off the handle, she went off her feed, being unable to eat supper because of fright. She finally went off the premises. She went off and got a policeman and had the joker jailed.

THE BEST JOKE EVER.

Speaking of practical jokes, there is a young benedict at this moment going up and down the earth with blood in his eye, seeking whom he may devour, because two chums played "the best ever" on him. It was the date of his wedding, and on some pretext or other the chums got him to row over to an island in the river, and then they managed to give him the slip and left him there. By swimming the river he succeeded in keeping his nuptial engagement, but the joke hasn't dawned on him yet. A curly-haired young chump we once knew was entertained over Sunday at a country house. He took with him a splendid Newfoundland dog. In the house was a long hall, and, coming in late from a walk with the delicate young daughter of the house, this curly-haired joker sat down on the floor in the hall at a turn where he knew the girl would put out her hands to feel her way in the dark. The joke would be in having her run her hand into his mop of hair. Now, it seems the girl had a horror of dogs, and the big Newfoundland had put her nerves on edge. She groped her way through the hall, placed her hand square on the head of the curly-haired idiot squatting at the turn of the hall, thought she had run into the dog and fainted. She did not recover from the shock for nearly two years.

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1. Watt was the name of the inventor of the steam-engine?
2. Ware was the terminus of John Gilpin's famous ride?
4. Witch craft was persecuted by the puritans of New England?
5. Wye is a river running in Wessex, England?
6. The inventor of the sewing-machine is called Howe?
7. If Sir Walter Scott's dog was worth fifty pounds, what was his novel Kenilworth?—*Washington Life.*

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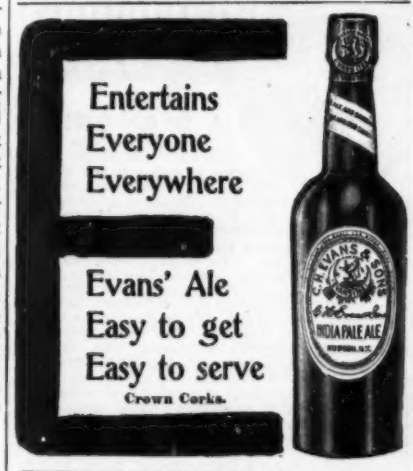
PEROXIDE.

Tom—"How was Miss Gidday, that pretty brunette, when you saw her last?"

Dick—"She wasn't."

Tom—"Eh? She wasn't what?"

Dick—"A brunette."—*Catholic Standard and Times.*



SOME REMARKS.

Too many of us lose time in finding fault.

Even a kindergarten kid can spell eel with ease.

Many a man has acquired a headache from butting in.

Some fellows would indulge in hot air even in a cold-storage warehouse.—*Philadelphia Record.*

THE SYSTEM'S LIMITATION.

Upandown—"Is there no simple way to produce sleep?"

Knowitall—"Sure. Just begin and count one, two, three, and on until sleep comes."

Upandown—"Yes, but one, two, three is as far as the baby can count."

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ABSENT-MINDED ORGANIST.

A few weeks ago a farmer, who is also organist of a certain church, while trying to recall the rather intricate harmony of an anthem he had in practice, hung the milk-pail on a nail driven into a rafter and started to milk the cow into the lighted lantern.—*Ram's Horn.*

AT LAST!

Mrs. Henpeck—"I have come to the conclusion"——

Mr. Henpeck—"Thank heaven!"—*New York Sun.*

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—*Newark News.*

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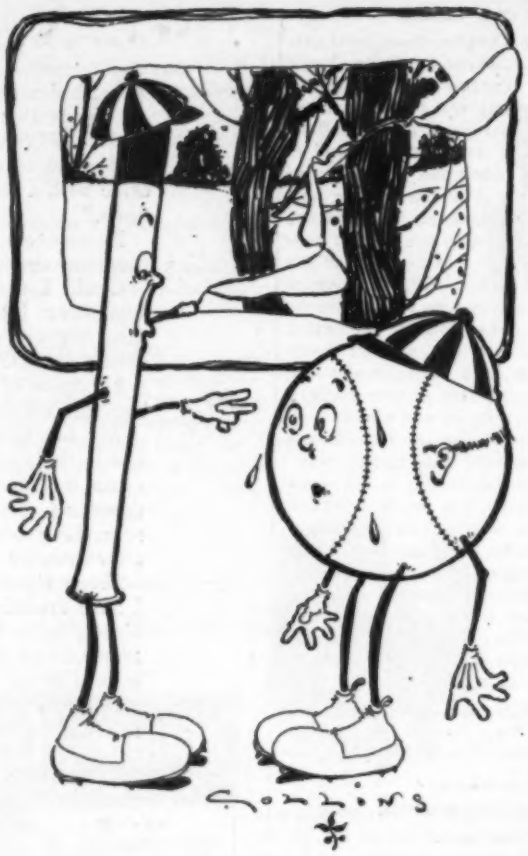

TIT FOR TAT.

Bat—"The trouble with you is you're always up in the air."

Ball—"Ah! you can't stop knocking, can you?"

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JUST TO PLEASE HIM.

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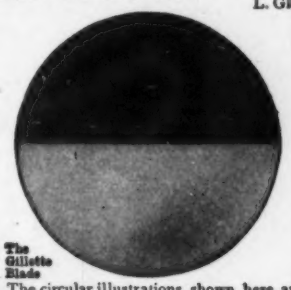
L. GREENWOOD, Auditor Farmers' Loan & Trust Co., Sioux City, Iowa.



The Gillette Blade

This illustrates razor ready for adjustment. Triple Silver Plated ½ Actual Size

The Ordinary Razor Blade

The circular illustrations shown here are exact reproductions of photographs made under the microscope by Prof. W. J. G. Land of the University of Chicago. Same lens and conditions used on both razor blades.

Note the perfectly true edge of the **Gillette Blade.** The other illustration was not from a bad razor but from **the best obtainable in daily use.**

The edges of these two razor blades have not been retouched in any way, but are exactly as they appear under the microscope at 1200 diameters. The ordinary razor was one that was stropped in the most scientific manner while the **Gillette** was selected at random from a dozen blades.

Ask your dealer for the **Gillette Safety Razor;** he can procure it for you. Write for our interesting booklet which explains our thirty days free trial offer. Most dealers make this offer; if yours don't, we will.

The University of Chicago
Dept. of Botany.
Painter-Tobey-Jones Co., April 16, 1905.
Mr. Geo. J. Kendall, Chicago, Ill.

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Prof. W. J. G. LAND.

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